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**Subject:**

Multiple Vulnerabilities for CA Anti-Virus Engine (CA20091008-01)

**Overview:**

CA's support is alerting customers to multiple security risks associated with CA Anti-Virus Engine. Vulnerabilities exist in the arclib component that can allow a remote attacker to cause a denial of service, or to cause heap corruption and potentially further compromise a system. CA has issued fixes to address the vulnerabilities.

The first vulnerability, CVE-2009-3587, is due to improper handling of a specially crafted RAR archive file by the CA Anti-Virus engine arclib component. An attacker can create a malformed RAR archive file that results in heap corruption and allows the attacker to cause a denial of service or possibly further compromise the system.

The second vulnerability, CVE-2009-3588, is due to improper handling of a specially crafted RAR archive file by the CA Anti-Virus engine arclib component. An attacker can create a malformed RAR archive file that results in stack corruption and allows the attacker to cause a denial of service.

**Systems Affected:**

Windows  
UNIX  
Linux  
Solaris  
Mac OS X  
Netware

**Risk:**

Medium

**Affected Products:**

CA Anti-Virus for the Enterprise (formerly eTrust Antivirus) 7.1  
CA Anti-Virus for the Enterprise (formerly eTrust Antivirus) r8  
CA Anti-Virus for the Enterprise (formerly eTrust Antivirus) r8.1  
CA Anti-Virus 2007 (v8)  
CA Anti-Virus 2008  
CA Anti-Virus 2009  
CA Anti-Virus Plus 2009  
eTrust EZ Antivirus r7.1  
CA Internet Security Suite 2007 (v3)  
CA Internet Security Suite 2008  
CA Internet Security Suite Plus 2008  
CA Internet Security Suite Plus 2009  
CA Threat Manager for the Enterprise (formerly eTrust Integrated Threat Management) r8  
CA Threat Manager for the Enterprise (formerly eTrust Integrated Threat Management) 8.1  
CA Threat Manager Total Defense  
CA Gateway Security r8.1  
CA Protection Suites r2  
CA Protection Suites r3  
CA Protection Suites r3.1

CA Secure Content Manager (formerly eTrust Secure Content Manager) 1.1  
 CA Secure Content Manager (formerly eTrust Secure Content Manager) 8.0  
 CA Network and Systems Management (NSM) (formerly Unicenter Network and Systems Management) r3.0  
 CA Network and Systems Management (NSM) (formerly Unicenter Network and Systems Management) r3.1  
 CA Network and Systems Management (NSM) (formerly Unicenter Network and Systems Management) r11  
 CA Network and Systems Management (NSM) (formerly Unicenter Network and Systems Management) r11.1  
 CA ARCserve Backup r11.5 on Windows  
 CA ARCserve Backup r12 on Windows  
 CA ARCserve Backup r12.0 SP1 on Windows  
 CA ARCserve Backup r12.0 SP 2 on Windows  
 CA ARCserve Backup r12.5 on Windows  
 CA ARCserve Backup r11.1 Linux  
 CA ARCserve Backup r11.5 Linux  
 CA ARCserve for Windows Client Agent  
 CA ARCserve for Windows Server component  
 CA eTrust Intrusion Detection 2.0 SP1  
 CA eTrust Intrusion Detection 3.0  
 CA eTrust Intrusion Detection 3.0 SP1  
 CA Common Services (CCS) r3.1  
 CA Common Services (CCS) r11  
 CA Common Services (CCS) r11.1  
 CA Anti-Virus SDK (formerly eTrust Anti-Virus SDK)  
 CA Anti-Virus Gateway (formerly eTrust Antivirus Gateway) 7.1

**Non-Affected Products:**

CA Anti-Virus engine with arclib version 8.1.4.0 or later installed

**Solution:**

CA released arclib 8.1.4.0 on August 12 2009. If your product is configured for automatic updates, you should already be protected, and you need to take no action. If your product is not configured for automatic updates, then you simply need to run the update utility included with your product.  
 CA Network and Systems Management (NSM) (formerly Unicenter Network and Systems Management) r3.0: apply fix # RO11964.  
 CA Network and Systems Management (NSM) (formerly Unicenter Network and Systems Management) r3.1: apply fix # RO11964.  
 CA Network and Systems Management (NSM) (formerly Unicenter Network and Systems Management) r11: apply fix # RO11964.  
 CA Network and Systems Management (NSM) (formerly Unicenter Network and Systems Management) r11.1: apply fix # RO11964.  
 CA Common Services (CCS) r3.1: apply fix # RO11954.  
 CA Anti-Virus for the Enterprise (formerly eTrust Antivirus) 7.1 32bit: apply fix # RO10663.  
 CA Anti-Virus for the Enterprise (formerly eTrust Antivirus) 7.1 IA64: apply fix # RO10664.  
 CA Anti-Virus for the Enterprise (formerly eTrust Antivirus) 7.1 AMD64: apply fix # RO10665.  
 CA Secure Content Manager (formerly eTrust Secure Content Manager) r1.1: apply fix # RO10999.  
 CA Secure Content Manager (formerly eTrust Secure Content Manager) r8.0: apply fix # RO10999.  
 CA Anti-Virus Gateway (formerly eTrust Antivirus Gateway) 7.1: apply fix # RO11000.  
 CA Gateway Security r8.1: RO10999.  
 CA ARCserve for Windows Server component installed on a 64 bit machine: apply fixes # RO10663 and RO10664 (IA64) or RO10665 (AMD64).  
 CA ARCserve for Windows Server component installed on a 32 bit machine: apply fix # RO10663.

CA ARCserve for Windows Client Agent installed on a 64 bit machine: apply fix # RO10664 (IA64) or RO10665 (AMD64).

CA ARCserve for Windows Client Agent installed on a 32 bit machine: apply fix # RO10663.

CA ARCserve for Linux Server r11.5: apply fix # RO10729.

CA ARCserve for Linux

**Workaround:**

Do not open email attachments or download files from untrusted sources.

**REFERENCES:**

**CA**

<https://support.ca.com/irj/portal/anonymous/phpsupcontent?contentID=218878>

**CVE**

[CVE-2009-3587](#) - CA Anti-Virus RAR archive heap corruption

[CVE-2009-3588](#) - CA Anti-Virus RAR archive stack corruption